

Larsen Communications
66628 CSAH 33
Darwin MN 55324
August 18, 2008

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FCC Mail Room

Federal Communication Commission
Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street SW
Room TWA325
Washington DC 20554

RE: Waiver Request
Reference CC Docket No. 96-45

FCC:

I am requesting a waiver from the \$400.00 late filing fee charged for Form 499-A. This was the first year that I filed the form electronically. It was filed before the April 1 deadline, but evidently was not certified. When I filed the form, I assumed everything was done. Under USAC's E-Certification FAQ #6, it states that the company officer would be notified via e-mail if a form was pending officer certification. I never received any notification until this \$400.00 late filing notice.

Larsen Communications has only one pay phone left with a gross income of \$650.00 in 2007. My net income is less than \$200.00 for the year. I would appreciate it if you would grant the waiver since it was filed on time and I thought it was done correctly.

Respectfully,



Vern Larsen, Owner
Larsen Communications

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Statement Date: 07/22/2008
Invoice Number: UBDI0000312054
Filer 499 ID: 822924
Balance Due USAC: \$ 400.00
Amount Enclosed:

Larsen Communications
 Attention: Vern Larsen
 66628 CSAH 33,
 Darwin, MN, 55324

Mail Payment To:

Universal Service Administrative Company
 1259 Paysphere Circle
 Chicago, IL 60674

Address Change? See reverse side for instructions.

☐ If paying for multiple Filer 499 IDs, please check here and complete form on back.

Send top portion of statement with payment in enclosed envelope. Keep bottom portion for your records.

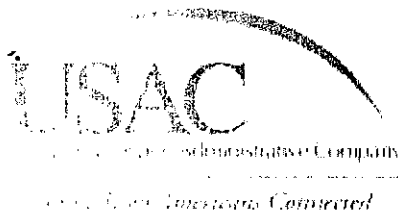
STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

Amount	Description	Charges	Credits
	Previous Balance		\$0.00
7/15/08	Late Filing Fee - 499A - 2008 499A	\$400.00	
	BALANCE DUE USAC BY 8/15/2008	\$400.00	

Transactions occurring after 07/15/2008 are not reflected on this statement.

The Balance Due on this Statement represents your mandatory contributions to universal service support and constitutes a Debt owed to the United States as defined by 48 USC § 2701, the Debt Collection Act of 1982 (Public Law 97-365), and the Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996 (Public Law 104-134), as amended by the DCIA and any amendments thereto. This Statement constitutes a demand for payment of the Balance Due in accordance with and pursuant to Federal Communications Regulations (47 C.F.R. § 1.1911) and the DCIA. Please refer to the reverse side of this Statement for important information and a description of your legal rights, obligations, and opportunities under the DCIA.

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FORM 499Q DATA		PAYMENT INFORMATION	
This month's support mechanism charges were calculated using an FCC contribution factor of 0.114030 and the following revenue data: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>May 2008 499Q</div> <div></div> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>1700</div> <div>\$199.25</div> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>1200</div> <div>\$0.00</div> </div> <p>If charges do not correspond with your records, please contact the 499 Data Collection Agent.</p>		Payment must be received by 08/15/2008 to avoid late payment charges. Please remit ACH payments in a CCD+ format to ABA #071000505, Account #5590045653. Payments must include your Company Name, Filer 499 ID, and Invoice Number to ensure timely posting.	



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DETAILED SUMMARY OF CHARGES AND CREDITS

SUPPORT MECHANISM CHARGES

Quarterly support mechanism charges were calculated according to the following formulas:

Quarterly Contribution Base

Quarterly contribution base is a portion of your quarterly revenue that USAC considers when determining your quarterly Universal Service Fund contribution. The quarterly contribution base equals your interstate plus international revenue. Your current quarterly contribution base equals:

$$\frac{\$ 199.25}{\text{Interstate Revenue (Line 120B)}} + \frac{\$ 0.00}{\text{International Revenue (Line 120C)}} = \frac{\$ 199.25}{\text{Quarterly Contribution Base}}$$

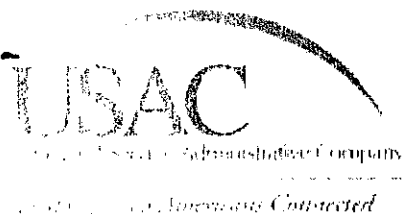
Adjusted Quarterly Contribution

USAC reduces carriers' quarterly contribution bases by the amount that they are expected to contribute in that quarter. The calculation for an adjusted contribution base is as follows, and takes into account the circularity deduction:

$$\frac{\$ 199.25}{\text{Quarterly Contribution Base}} * \frac{0.114000}{\text{FCC Contribution Factor}} = \frac{\text{Unadjusted Contribution}}$$

$$\frac{\text{Unadjusted Contribution}}{\text{Unadjusted Contribution}} * \frac{0.107280}{\text{FCC Circularity Factor}} = \frac{\text{Adjusted Contribution}}$$

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De Minimis Eligibility

Carriers whose expected annual contribution is less than \$10,000 are considered de minimis and are exempted from paying into the Universal Service Fund. Carriers must meet the de minimis criteria on both the current 499A and 499Q forms.

De minimis eligibility was calculated using the contribution factors established by the FCC for determining de minimis status on each form:

4.4.1:

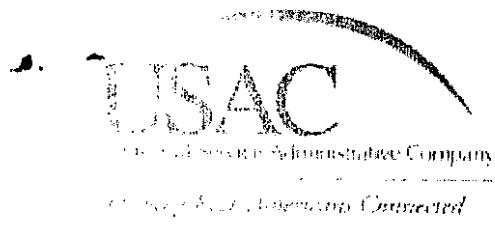
499A Contribution Base	*	0.108000 FCC Estimated Annual Factor	=	Estimated 499A Contribution
Adjusted Contribution	*	4	=	Estimated 499Q Contribution

For more information on the FCC estimated annual factor, please see the Form 499A Instructions. For more information on the current FCC contribution factor, please visit our website at www.fcc.gov.

Support Mechanism Charges

Your monthly contribution is determined by multiplying one-third of your adjusted quarterly contribution base by the current quarter's FCC contribution factor. Your contribution is then allocated among the four support mechanisms according to the established allocation percentages for the current quarter.

1/3	*	Adjusted Quarterly Contribution	=	Total Monthly Contribution
Total Monthly Contribution	*	0.590155 High Cost Allocation Percentage	=	\$ 0.00 High Cost Support Mechanism Charge
Total Monthly Contribution	*	0.104089 Low Income Allocation Percentage	=	\$ 0.00 Low Income Support Mechanism Charge
Total Monthly Contribution	*	0.026597 Rural Health Care Allocation Percentage	=	\$ 0.00 Rural Health Care Support Mechanism Charge



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Total Monthly Contribution	*	0.279159	=	\$ 0.00
		Schools & Libraries Allocation Percentage		Schools & Libraries Support Mechanism Charge